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In response to the Notice to Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated February 27, 2003 (paper number 19), Applicants submit a substitute computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing" under 37 CFR § 1.825(d).

REMARKS

Applicants received a Notice to Comply dated February 27, 2003 (copy enclosed). The Notice to Comply indicated that the previously submitted substitute Sequence Listing and substitute CRF submitted July 16, 2002 were received and entered as containing 4 peptide sequences. However, Applicants' attorneys did not file a Sequence Listing and substitute CRF in July 2002 containing 4 peptide sequences. Applicants' attorney telephoned Mr. Mark Spencer at the Patent Office on March 11, 2003, to inquire about this matter. Mr. Spencer stated that the Sequence Listing and substitute CRF referred to in the Notice to Comply dated February 27 did